Docket Number (Optional) **NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO** 027001-000310US THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES In re Application of Ronald D. Blum I hereby certify that this correspondence is being filed via EFS-Web with the United States Patent and Trademark Office Application Number 09/994,860 Filed November 28. on <u>April 15, 2010</u> 2001 Signature /Sharon D. Eurich/ For METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REDUCING THE INTENSITY OF HURRICANES AT SEA BY Typed or printed name Sharon D. Eurich DEEP-WATER UPWELLING Art Unit 3752 Examiner BOECKMANN, Jason J. Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner. The fee for this Notice of Appeal is not required as Applicant previously paid for a Notice of Appeal which \$ Previously Paid did not result in a decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee shown above is reduced \$ Previously Paid by half, and the resulting fee is: A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 20-1430 A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (PTO/SB/22) is enclosed. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. I am the /James E. Golladay/ applicant/inventor. Signature assignee of record of the entire interest. James E. Golladay See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. Typed or printed name (Form PTO/SB/96) attorney or agent of record. Registration number <u>58,182</u> (202) 481-9900 Telephone number attorney or agent acting under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34. April 15, 2010

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